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THE Subſcriber returns his grateful Acknowledgments to the Public in general, and his Friends in particular, for the generous Encouragement he has received during the Publication of the SOUTH-CAROLINA GAZETTE, and COUNTRY JOURNAL, for two Years paſt; and as this Day's Gazette commences the third Year of its Date, he moſt earneſtly intreats the Favour of all Perſons indebted to him, to diſcharge their Arrears up to the 8th Inſtant, which will enable him to carry on his Buſineſs with the greater Spirit; as it muſt certainly be known, that the publiſhing of a Weekly Gazette, with Credit and Punctuality, (and without which we cannot expect to meet with Succeſs, or hope for Approbation) is attended with great Expence.—And as there are ſeveral preſſing Demands againſt him, which, if not ſoon anſwered, muſt be of very bad Conſequences to himſelf and Family; he is the more inclinable to hope, that his good Benefactors, eſpecially thoſe in the Country, whom he has it not in his Power to wait upon perſonally, will conſider his Situation, and readily comply with his Requeſt, by getting ſome of their Friends or Factors in Town to pay off their Accounts, which are but ſmall, but by being all collected together, will be of great Service, as it will enable him to diſcharge thoſe Demands.—The utmoſt Efforts ſhall, at all Times, be made to render his Gazette both uſeful and entertaining; and the Printing Buſineſs, in all its Branches, will alſo be carried on with the greateſt Care and Diſpatch, at his Office in Elliott-ſtreet, the Corner of Gadſden's Alley; where all Letters of Intelligence, as likewiſe the Commands of his Friends, and the Public, will be moſt readily and thankfully received, by

Their very obedient, and moſt humble Servant,
CHARLES CROUCH.

N. B. It is hoped, that all Perſons who may be pleaſed to favour me with Advertiſements for my Gazette, (which will certainly anſwer their End, as it has a very extenſive Circulation) will be ſo kind as to ſend the CASH with them, except where it may happen that I have an open Account. ——I have employed Mr. *Daniel Stephens*, to collect my Money in Town, and hope that my Friends and Cuſtomers will chearfully pay off their Accounts when waited upon for that Purpoſe. CHARLES CROUCH.

From a late ENGLISH PAPER.

An Earneſt ADDRESS.

O Britons! look round you for once, before you ſhut your eyes for ever, never to open them more without horror and deſpair! Conſider the many unhappy conſequences that muſt attend you and yours from my diſſolution, which ſeems approaching very faſt. I ſee no poſſibility of my reſtoration but by a noble, a truly noble patriot band, who will voluntarily unite themſelves for the ſalvation of their country! Unite, not to cabal together, to fight for the leaves and fibres, or to ſcramble for the deepeſt ſhare of the plunder of an injured country; not to graſp after exhorbitant, overbearing power, to gratify reſtleſs, inſatiable ambition. But as men, whoſe benevolent, generous ſouls will chearfully unite to ſerve and to ſave their country, without fee or reward ——Men who dare to ſtand between an inſulted S——, and an injured, oppreſſed people, and to reſcue both from the inſolence and oppreſſion of a reſtleſs faction, who agree in nothing but diſtreſſing their S——, and fleecing his people. If there be any Princes among my people, whoſe hands are clean, and hearts pure and untainted with that putrid ſtream of corruption that has deluged the land, let them come forth, offer their ſervice to fill up the important poſts of honour in the ſtate, without pay, perquiſite, or any thing but the great honour, and matchleſs ſatisfaction, of being the Saviours of their country; and let them give up the profits, towards leſſening the burden that lies too heavy upon the peoples ſhoulders. Shallow politicians may laugh at the propoſal, but without this, I am ſure my reſtoration is impoſſible. Therefore, till this takes place, let me hear no more of patriotiſm or public ſpirit among the Great; of any broad bottomed, permanent adminiſtration, that will give weight and ſtability to government; the thing is carried too far to be remedied by any other means. In our preſent mode we can expect nothing but eternal ſquabbles among the Great, about the deepeſt ſhare, while the poor are ſtarving, and the middling people are drained by the expedients of the Great, and the neceſſities of the Poor, till ſome calamity cloſe the ſcene.

It has been reported one Phœnix *has appeared in this age, one great officer of ſtate refuſed the profits of his very high office during his ſhort adminiſtration. I could wiſh this was made more clear to the public: Oh, for a number of ſuch worthies! Three ſuch righteous men, in high rank, might ſave a ſinking land, as five juſt men might have ſaved a devoted land in ancient days. To ſuch men, the eaſy road to glory and immortal renown would quickly be pointed out. The over-grown, gigantic monſter, Corruption, would ſicken and die at their preſence, and all his curſed progeny would fly from the light of ſuch celeſtial appearances. The* Exciſe *would ſoon appear as uſeleſs and unneceſſary as the* Inquiſition *in England, and all would be Peace, Plenty, and permanent Proſperity, under the auſpices of a reſtored, healthy, and vigorous* CONSTITUTION.

A Parcel of good Parchment Skins, to be ſold by Charles Crouch.

BOSTON, NOVEMBER 23.

AT a Town Meeting held in this town the 20th inſtant, wherein the Honourable James Otis, Eſq; preſided as moderator, the inhabitants took into conſideration the ill conduct of ſome evil-minded perſons, tending to excite tumults and diſorders, and unanimouſly voted their abhorence of any ſuch meaſures, and that they would uſe their utmoſt endeavours to preſerve peace and good order.----On this occaſion the moderator made a ſpeech to the following purpoſe.----*THAT many people ſeemed to have blended two things together in their minds, which were totally diſtinct.---That is, the duties laid upon many articles imported, and the office of the commiſſioners of the cuſtoms, as though the commiſſioners had occaſioned theſe duties, and that we muſt get rid of the latter, in order to avoid the former.---That it was abſurd to ſuppoſe that the commiſſioners had the leaſt hand or influence in laying or procuring theſe duties.---That we had from the firſt, and for a long courſe of time, acknowledged the authority of the cuſtom-houſe officers appointed by the crown, and ſent among us.----That we had often deſired the eſtabliſhment of a board of commiſſioners in the plantations, and complained, that for want of it, we were deprived of many advantages which our fellow ſubjects in Great-Britain enjoyed; who, if oppreſſed by any undue ſeverities of the ſubordinate officers, might have immediate redreſs by application to that board, which we could not, by reaſon of our diſtance.---That we ought therefore to conſider the eſtabliſhment of that board here as a favour, and of great advantage, and treat the commiſſioners with all due reſpect.---That if the duties were thought burthenſome, and we had juſt reaſon to complain of them, we ought to behave like men, and uſe the proper and legal meaſures to obtain redreſs.---That the means were in our power; acceſs to the throne was always open; that there was no doubt, but our humble and dutiful petitions and remonſtrances would ſooner or later be heard and meet with ſucceſs, if ſupported by juſtice and reaſon.---But let our burthens be ever ſo heavy, or our grievances ever ſo great, no poſſible circumſtances, tho' ever ſo oppreſſive, could be ſuppoſed ſufficient to juſtify private tumults and diſorders, either to our conſciences before God, or legally before men.---That our forefathers in the beginning of the reign of Charles I. for 23 years together, were continually offering up prayers to their God, and petitions to their king for the redreſs of grievances, before they would betake themſelves to any forcible meaſures.---That to inſult and tear each other to pieces was to act like madmen, and would have no tendency to obtain redreſs of any of our grievances, if we had any to complain of.---That it was obſervable that during the courſe of the revolution which placed king William on the throne, there were no tumults or diſorder, and when the whole city of London was in motion, only a ſingle ſilver ſpoon was ſtolen, and that they ſhewed ſuch reſentment to this, as immediately to hang up the perſon who was guilty of the theft.*-------

Upon the whole he concluded by recommending a quiet and proper behaviour, and that the inhabitants of the town would ſhew their diſlike and abhorrence of all tumults and diſorders, and do all in their power to aſſiſt the civil magiſtrates in preſerving peace and good order.

This ſpeech was much to his honour, and greatly applauded, and it is thought would have a very good effect. The conduct of the gentlemen ſelect-men on this occaſion was alſo greatly applauded.

While the Town were warmly engaged in this laudable attempt to promote frugality and œconomy, they were not inattentive to the preſent diſtreſſed ſituation of their trade, occaſioned by the additional duties and burden laid upon it: And as theſe duties appeared to be prejudicial to the natural as well as conſtitutional *charter* rights of the people of this province, they thought it proper to give their repreſentatives their explicit ſentiments and inſtructions upon a matter of ſuch great moment: And accordingly appointed a committee to report at the adjournment the 2nd of next Month. ---When meaſures are propoſed which will bear to be ſcrutinized, upon the principles of reaſon and the conſtitution, a wiſe and prudent community will never fail to adopt them with unanimity: And while ſuch meaſures are purſued with vigour, every one will eaſily diſcern that all *violent* efforts muſt be unneceſſary, and conſequently in the higheſt degree culpable: Upon this conſideration the moderator in an animated addreſs, exhorted his fellow-citizens, to be ſteadfaſt in the ſtep they had reſolved upon; and the town unanimouſly agreed to exert themſelves on all occaſions, to ſupport peace and good order.---It would however be injuſtice to the inhabitants not to obſerve, that the laſt reſolution was come into, to ſhow an indignation at a *dirty trick* of ſome *one* perſon, doubtleſs an enemy to our civil rights, who under cover of the preceeding night, had paſted up a paper on the *venerable Elm*, ſaid to contain matter adapted (tho' happily it fail'd of the intended effect) to irritate the paſſions, at a time when *all* depends upon our being *cool, deliberate* and *firm*.

The repreſentations and miſrepreſentations of thoſe in America, who were only aiming at new appointments and high ſalaries, have in part had their effect; the people of Britain being made to think that the colonies are rich, and are able to pay duties on numberleſs articles for our conſumption; and that now is the very criſis to bring them to ſubmit to taxes, laid and levied without their conſent, and to acknowledge that Britons have the ſole right to diſpoſe of the properties of Americans at their pleaſure——that now was the very time to make the governors, judges, and other crown officers, created during the pleaſure of their ſuperiors, intirely independent of the people, who ſhould yet be obliged to pay them four times as much as they ever aſked, or had received, or merited, for their ſervices.——That the colonies having run too largely into trade, it was proper their enterprizing genius ſhould be checked, it being more advantageous for the nation to receive their monies by way of revenue, than in pay for their manufactures; and that monies ſo collected, ſhould be devoured by a ſwarm of uſeleſs officers, than go towards the diſcharge of the national debt.—And that notwithſtanding the faith of Kings has been plighted, that Britons tranſporting themſelves to America, ſhould carry all their privileges along with them, there is now a power in the nation, which may ſtrip them of the ſame, as well as of their properties, at their ſovereign pleaſure.——If theſe ſhould be the prevailing ſentiments of men who may get into power, the diſtreſs and damage to both countries, in conſequence of attempts to carry ſuch ſentiments into effect, is much eaſier to conceive, than proper to deſcribe; and what would Americans have to do at ſuch a proſpect.—Attend, my countrymen, to the ſentiments of a Virginian, lately uttered, upon ſuppoſition of ſuch a criſis. "Inſtead of moping, and puling, and whining, to excite compaſſion, in ſuch a ſituation, we ought with ſpirit, and vigour, and alacrity, to bid defiance to tyranny, by expoſing its impotence, by making it as contemptible, as it would be deteſtable. By a vigorous application to manufactures, the conſequence of oppreſſion in the colonies to the inhabitants of Great-Britain, would ſtrike home, and immediately.—None would miſtake it. Craft and ſubtilty would not be able to impoſe on the moſt ignorant and credulous; for if any ſhould be ſo weak of ſight as not to ſee, they would not be ſo callous as not to feel it.——Such conduct would be the moſt dutiful and beneficial to the mother country. It would point out the diſtemper when the remedy might be eaſy, and a cure at once effected by a ſimple alteration of regimen."—"When contempt is mixed with injuſtice, and inſult with violence, which is the caſe when an injury is done to him who hath the means of redreſs in his power; if the injured hath one inflammable grain of honour in his breaſt, this reſentment will invigorate his purſuit of reparation, and animate his efforts to obtain an effectual ſecurity againſt a repetition of the outrage."—The reſentment I ſhould recommend, would be a legal, orderly and prudent reſentment, to be expreſſed in a zealous and vigorous induſtry, in an immediate uſe and unabating application of the advantages we derive from our ſituation.—A reſentment which could not fail to produce effects as beneficial to the mother country as to the colonies, and which a regard to her welfare as well as our own, ought to inſpire us with, on ſuch an occaſion.

We hear from Marblehead, that a fiſherman arrived there laſt Friday night from the banks of Newfoundland; the maſter and the people belonging to her give the following extraordinary account, viz. That on the banks of Newfoundland being at anchor, they were very much ſurprized to obſerve their veſſel run direct in the winds eye at a conſiderable rate, they hove their log-line and found ſhe went above ſeven knots, (not being able to purchaſe their anchor) and continued ſo to their great aſtoniſhment for 36 hours, without being able to account for this unuſual occurrence; when a large whale hove up, ſeemingly much tired, they then hove towards him, and got ſo nigh as to diſcern the whale had got their anchor in his jaws; they ſtill hove higher, and threw their fiſh hook into the ring of the anchor, but being under fearful apprehenſions of danger, they cut their cable, and the whale went off with the anchor and part of the cable. Several other fiſhermen being in ſight, were greatly ſurprized to ſee this veſſel run direct to windward without any ſail, and hove up their anchors and came to ſail.

Lately died at Barrington, in New-Hampſhire, one Mr. Edward Evans, aged 100 years; he perfectly remembered the revolution in 1688, and was in the laſt year of his apprenticeſhip at Boſton, when Sir Edmund Andros was taken and ſent home priſoner from thence.

We hear that ſome few days ago, the Honourable Henry Hulton, John Temple, William Burch, and Charles Paxton, Eſquires, commiſſioners of his Majeſty's cuſtoms in America, took the oath of office; and laſt Tueſday they held a board of cuſtoms at Mr. Deblois's great room in Hanover-ſtreet.

TO THE PRINTERS.

BY ſome of the news-papers the town and country appear to be greatly alarmed with the inconvenience and additional expence of the board of commiſſioners of the cuſtoms, in America—I think you would do but juſtice to undeceive the public—therefore ſhall furniſh you with ſuch information as I have collected.

"Before the eſtabliſhment of the preſent board there were four ſurveyors-general on the continent, at the expence of 1000l. ſterling each per annum, excluſive of the office attending the American affairs under the commiſſioners in London, which was 1500l. more, amounting in the whole to 5,500l. without their having power finally to determine any matter, until it was firſt laid before the board at London, and waiting their directions, which delay has been always complained of as a grievance: To remedy which, and for the more immediate convenience and benefit of the trade in general, the legiſlative authority of Great-Britain, thought fit to appoint a board of cuſtoms in America, at the expence of 4,500l. ſterling, all officers and clerks included, every farthing of which will be ſpent in this town, excluſive of the expences that will naturally riſe from thoſe officers and others that may attend the board. Other provinces have had an idea of the advantages that would ariſe from the eſtabliſhment of the board, and its being fixed with them: Philadelphia and Virginia made great intereſt; the latter would have given 10,000l. to have had it determined in their favour."

NEW-YORK, NOVEMBER 23.

Wednesday last the General Assembly of this Province met here, when his Excellency our Governor opened the Session with the following Speech, viz.

The SPEECH of his Excellency Sir HENRY MOORE, Baronet, Captain-General and Governor in Chief in and over the Province of *New-York*, and the Territories depending thereon in *America*, Chancellor and Vice-Admiral of the same, to the Council and General Assembly of the said Province.

Gentlemen of the Council, and Gentlemen of the General Assembly,

THE sanguine Expectations so lately raised here of seeing our Disputes with the Province of the *Massachusetts-Bay*, in regard to Boundaries, brought to a speedy Determination, are hitherto disappointed: And notwithstanding the well known Abilities of the Commissaries employed in this Service, it will appear from their Report, that a Negotiation of so much Consequence to both Provinces, and from which the Advantages to be derived were mutual, had not been attended with the wished for Success; but as their near Approach to an Agreement, seems to point out that the Difficulties still subsisting are by no Means of such a Nature as to preclude all Expectations of being removed, I must recommend it to you that such Steps may be taken, as you shall think most conducive to so good a Purpose, and that your ready Concurrence may not be wanting in every just and reasonable Measure for bringing Matters to a desirable Issue.

In the mean Time, the particular Situation of that Part of the Country chiefly interested in the Event of this Dispute, will require your serious Attention; and it is hoped that nothing will be omitted on your Part to discourage and prevent the Renewal of those Disorders which so lately prevailed there, to the Ruin of Individuals, and the Disgrace of the Government.

Gentlemen of the General Assembly,

In laying before you the Act passed in the last Session of Parliament, relative to the Legislature of this Province, and transmitted to me by his Majesty's Principal Secretary of State, I cannot harbour the least Doubt, but that the prudent Conduct of this House will render the Provisions contained in it unnecessary; and that their Zeal for his Majesty's Service, and Attachment to his Government, will always engage them to entertain a due Sense of the Blessings which they enjoy under his Protection, and the Influence of the *British* Constitution.

I must again repeat what I urged in a former Session, concerning the vague and undetermined Boundaries of the different Counties of this Province, and the Necessity of making a proper Provision for ascertaining them: A very essential Service will thereby be rendered to the Country, by preventing those Scenes of Litigation, which so much impede the present Settling of those Parts, and of Course must in Time be productive of the greatest Mischiefs.

Gentlemen of the Council, and Gentlemen of the General Assembly,

As his Majesty's Service, and the Benefit of the Province, will be concerned in whatever I may have to lay before you during the Course of your Session, I flatter myself, not only of having your Assistance in Points of such Importance to this Community, but that it will be granted with Chearfulness, Unanimity and Dispatch.

New-York, Nov. 18, 1767. H. MOORE.

To his Excellency Sir HENRY MOORE, Baronet, Captain-General and Governor in Chief in and over the Province of New-York, and the Territories depending thereon in America, Chancellor and Vice-Admiral of the same.

The humble ADDRESS of the Council of the Province of New-York.

May it please Your Excellency,

WE his Majesty's most dutiful and loyal Subjects, the Council of the Province of New-York, beg Leave to return your Excellency our hearty Thanks for your Speech.

The Mischiefs of an uncertain Jurisdiction are so obvious, and the contested Partition between this and the Province of the Massachusetts-Bay has been such a Source of Distress and Confusion, that the ill Success of the late Negotiation for the Settlement of a temporary Line, gives us a very sensible Concern.

Being utterly averse to the Continuance of these tedious destructive Animosities, and willing to encourage the most distant Hopes of a friendly Accommodation between the two Provinces, we are ready to concur with your Excellency in every just and reasonable Measure to bring this important Matter to a desirable Issue, and shall exert ourselves to prevent all Disorders that may be either detrimental to the Subject, or dishonourable to Government.

Confiding in your Zeal for his Majesty's Service, and the Welfare of the Province, and being ourselves animated with the same laudable Designs, permit us to assure your Excellency of our chearful, ready and unanimous Aid in the Business of this Session.

By Order of the Council,
DAN. HORSMANDEN, Speaker.

Council-Chamber, New-York,
20th November, 1767.

His Excellency's ANSWER.

Gentlemen of the Council,

I Return you my hearty Thanks for this Address, and for your Readiness in concurring with me to promote his Majesty's Service, and the Benefit of the Province.

To his Excellency Sir HENRY MOORE, Captain-General and Governor in Chief in and over the Colony of New-York, and the Territories depending thereon in America, Chancellor and Vice-Admiral of the same.

The humble ADDRESS of the General Assembly of the said Colony.

May it please your Excellency,

WE his Majesty's most dutiful and loyal Subjects, the General Assembly of the Colony of New-York, return your Excellency our hearty Thanks for your Speech.

We readily embrace every Opportunity of testifying, both by Words and Actions, our Attachment to his Majesty our most gracious Sovereign, gratefully acknowledge the Blessings we owe to his Protection, and esteem ourselves happy in the Liberties secured to us by the British Constitution.—At the same Time the Act of Parliament your Excellency has laid before us gives us no little Concern, since by it we find, that notwithstanding the many exertions of our utmost Abilities, within our Sphere, to serve his Majesty, and render effectual whatever has been undertaken for the Glory of his Crown, and the Extention of his Dominions, We have, through Misapprehensions, which our great Distance would not suffer us to prevent, most innocently fallen under the Displeasure of the British Parliament: But we are fortunate in this, that our Zeal for his Majesty, ever inclining us rather to burthen ourselves, than to give the least Disturbance to the Peace of his Government, has, on a former Requisition of your Excellency, induced us to make so ample a Provision for the Quartering his Majesty's Forces in this Colony, as must take away any Scruple your Excellency might otherwise have to concur with us in such Things as the publick Good of this Colony may require: We shall therefore with Alacrity proceed to the Consideration of the important Matters recommended in your Excellency's Speech.

Sensible of the Expedience of settling a Line of Jurisdiction between this Colony and that of the Massachusetts-Bay, and the Boundaries of the several Counties of this Colony, we shall be ready to do whatever Justice requires, and is incumbent on us, to effect such useful Purposes.

And as we are thoroughly convinced of your Excellency's Attention to, and Zeal for his Majesty's Service; whatever you shall further recommend to us during the Course of this Session, will have its due Weight.

By Order of the General Assembly,
W. NICOLL, Speaker.

Assembly-Chamber, City of New-York,
November 23d, 1767.

His Excellency's ANSWER.

Gentlemen of the General Assembly,

I Return you my hearty Thanks for this Address: The Declarations contained in it of Loyalty and Attachment to his Majesty's Person and Government, do Honour to this House, and at the same Time reflect it with Lustre on those they represent.

Captain Sheldon, from Newfoundland, in seventeen Days, informs us, that a Ship from Philadelphia was just arrived there; and that Governor Palliser had lately condemned there, a French Ship and Cargo, which he found out of her Limits, for having only six Beaver Skins on board; the Vessel was afterwards cleared, and gone out of Port, but the Cargo detained.

Extract of a Letter from London, September 19, 1767.

"As to Politicks, every Thing still remains as it has done for some Time past. Lord Mansfield is made Chancellor of the Exchequer *pro Tempore*, till our great Men can agree among themselves, or till some spirited, and honest Man, shall take the Lead (which I wish may be Case) and trusting in the King's Countenance and Support, who means nothing but the Happiness of his People, make a proper Arrangement of the Candidates for publick Offices, and establish a Ministry upon a solid and respectable Footing; a Situation highly necessary for this Country. Perhaps, in a few Weeks, you may hear something to the Purpose, but do not depend on it; for I think we were never farther from a Settlement than at this Juncture; I wish I may be found to have been mistaken."

LONDON, SEPTEMBER 23.

ACCORDING *to letters from Madrid, three-eights of the treasure drawn from the commerce carried on between Manilla and Acapulco, had hitherto centered among the Spanish Jesuits, amounting annually to eight millions of dollars.*

Colonel Richard King, who died at his house in Oxford-road on Thursday last, was in 1703 *appointed engineer, and in the following ever-memorable campaign was present and acted as such in the battles of Schellenberg and Blenheim; in the latter, he had a horse shot under him. In* 1705 *he was Captain in Colonel Stringer's, and afterwards in the Earl of Orrery's regiment of foot, and one of the assistants to Earl Cadogan as Quarter-master General. After the battle of Ramillies in* 1706, *he was appointed engineer on the establishment, and in* 1707 *aid-de-camp to the last mentioned Earl. In* 1708 *he was in the battle of Oudenard, and at the siege of Lisle. In* 1709 *he was Lieutenant-Colonel of foot, and served constantly through these several stations under the Duke of Malborough till the beginning of* 1711, *when he was made Colonel of a train of artillery, and Quarter-master General of the forces sent under the command of Brigadier Hill against Quebec. Being (with the General) in the Windsor man of war, the Colonel happily escaped being lost, as most of the troops and transports were in the river St. Lawrence. At the peace of Utretch, he went with the same General to take possession of Dunkirk. Soon after, a defluxion falling into his eyes, the consequence of it was a total lost of sight. In this state he continued the remainder of his life, more than fifty years, enjoying however, with constant chearfulness, many literary and social delights, being visited and esteemed by a large and valuable acquaintance. Being executor to Dr. Woodward, Colonel King in* 1728 *erected a monument to his memory in Westminster abbey, and as his surviving trustee, had the sole nomination of the Woodwardian lecturer at Cambridge. All his lecturers were such as have done him honour, viz. Dr. Conyers Middleton, Dr. Charles Mason, Mr. John Mitchell, and (the present) Dr. Ogden. By the Doctor's will, the nomination of this lecturer now devolves to the archbishop of Canterbury, the bishop of Ely, the presidents of the college of physicians, and of the royal society, the two members of parliament, and the whole senate of the university. The Colonel had in his possession specimens of all the fossile at Cambridge, and among other curiosities, the Doctor left him his celebrated antique shield, representing the taking of Rome by Brennus and the Gauls.*

On the present King's accession, Colonel King being then fourscore, went to court, and, like Belisarius, in person presented a petition to his Majesty. In consequence of this, one hundred pounds per annum were added to his half pay. But alas! for the last four or five years of his life, this amiable gentleman was much in the same melancholy circumstances as his great General was in the year 1717.

Defunctâ spirans jam mente fuique superstes.

Extract of a letter from a gentleman at Erfurt, dated August 28, 1767.

"*In the church of the Peterspurgh Benedictines here, is shewn the tomb of Louis, Count Gleichen, of the illustrious house of Schwartzburg, which hath given an emperor to Germany. The Count was made prisoner in an engagement against the Saracens, and suffered a long and severe captivity. As he was at work one day in the gardens of the Sultan, he was accosted and asked some questions by his master's daughter, who was walking there. The agreeable person of the Count and his address in working, so greatly pleased the princess, that she promised to set him free, and to go off with him, provided he would marry her. "I have a wife and children," answered he.—"That signifies nothing," says she, "the custom of my country allows a man to have several wives." The Count was not obstinate, he acquiesced to this reason, and gave her his promise. The princess made use of such speed and address to release him from his captivity, that they were soon ready to embark on board a ship. They arrived safely at Venice. The Count there found one of his domesticks, who had been travelling about to gain intelligence of him, and was informed by this servant, that his wife and children were well. He hastened immediately to Rome, and after having ingeniously related what had happened, he obtained of the Pope a solemn permission to keep both his wives. This happened in the year* 1240, *and in the pontificate of Gregory IX. If the holy father shewed himself indulgent, the Count's wife was not less complaisant; for she greatly caressed the Saracen lady, who had been the cause of her recovering her dear husband, and conceived for her rival a particular tenderness. The Saracen princess made a suitable return to all her civilities; and being herself sterile, she tenderly loved the great number of children which the Countess bore. At Gleichen is still shewn the bed whereon the Count and his two wives lay. After their death they were all three buried in the same tomb, as appears by the following epitaph:*

"*Here lys the bodies of two rival wives, who with unparallelled affection loved each other as sisters, and me extremely. The one fled from Mahomet to follow her husband; the other was willing to embrace the spouse she had recovered. United by the ties of matrimonial love, we had when living but one nuptial bed, and in our death only one marble covers us.*"

SEPTEMBER 25. *Wednesday an express arrived from his excellency William-Henry Lyttleton, Esq; Ambassador at the court of Portugal.*

It is said, that the right Hon. Philip Tisdall, Esq; principal Secretary of State, and attorney-general, in Ireland, is appointed lord chancellor of that kingdom.

Private Letters from Madrid inform, that the courts of Spain and Portugal had finally come to the resolution of recovering by joint force the province of Paraguay from the jurisdiction of the Jesuits.

Extract of a letter from Civita Vecchia, August 14, 1767.

"*The celebrated Prince Heraclius of Georgia hath sent General Paoli a present of six beautiful camels, with a letter full of the glow and metaphor of oriental eloquence. He concludes, "Great sir, while in thy zenith of glory deign to accept the tribute of him, who is proud of being born in the same age with Paoli, and feeling the most exalted admiration of his character without one spark of envy."*

SEPTEMBER 28. *A few days ago sailed from Brest three Dutch transports laden with ammunition and stores, under convoy of the Duc de Grammont frigate of* 36 *guns for the Isle of Goree, on the African coast; the frigate had three companies of foot on board.*

Thursday an express arrived at the house of Mon. Durant (the French resident here) in Soho-square, from France, setting forth that on Thursday the 17th *instant died, at his house in Paris, Francis Regner, Count de Guerchy, Lieutenant General in his most Christian Majesty's army, Colonel of the King's own regiment, and late Ambassador at the court of Great-Britain.*

Extract of a private letter from a gentleman in Dublin, to his friend in London.

"*Notwithstanding the sanguine expectations of the people here, that they will obtain a law next sessions to limit the duration of their parliaments to seven years, many sensible persons are of opinion, that there is an infinitely greater probability of their having no parliament, than there is of that event ever taking place; how soon they may be deprived of their present priviledge I will not presume to determine, but some political prophets take it upon them to foretell, that the æra is not very distant; it is certain that some of the principal sea-ports and other trading parts of the nation, earnestly wish for a union between Great-Britain and Ireland, and in my opinion, if such an event took place, upon the same principles with that between Great-Britain and Scotland, it would promote the trade and commerce of this kingdom to such a degree, as would greatly over-balance any prejudice it might receive from it. The chief, if not the only opposition it would meet with, would be from the landed interest, especially in and about Dublin, as this capital would suffer more by it than any other place, Cork being infinitely better situated for trade. The dread of a land-tax is perhaps the only motive the landed interest have to oppose a union, as the nobility and gentry would by no means relish paying such a heavy tax as would amount to one fifth of their yearly income.*"

SEPTEMBER 30. *We hear from Paris, that John Hermand, Baron de Dieskau, Lieutenant-General of the King's armies, &c. &c. died at Surene the* 8th *of this month, in consequence of the wounds which he received in* 1755, *in Canada, where he commanded in chief the French king's troops.*

They write from Plymouth, that the workmen in the dock of that place, have, for some time past, been employed double tides, in getting ready the ships of war intended to replace those lately arrived from foreign stations.

OCTOBER 1. The Mary, Captain Flint, is arrived off Dover from Senegal, who brings advice that his Excellency Governor O'Hara was gone, in the Conway yatcht, to the Canary Islands for the recovery of his health; and that Captain Francis M'Millan acts as Governor till his return.

OCTOBER 2. From the west end of the town, we hear, that it is the opinion of some deep politicians there, that one third part of the present parliament will not be sitting members in the ensuing one; in which opinion they are so positive, that they even offer to lay wagers on it.

Some letters from Rome mention, that the Pope has lately had the misfortune to lose the finest set of medals in Europe: They had been collecting many ages, and were deposited in his chamber for their security; but it seems some person of taste found means to remove them. It is added, that his holiness has offered his plenery absolution and a reward to the Virtuoso who stole them, in case he will bring them back.

OCTOBER 3. The month of September has proved very fatal to England, in robbing us of the first peer in the realm and the first politician in the state, in the persons of the Duke of York and the right Hon. Charles Townshend. It is also a circumstance somewhat singular, that the same day that deprived us of his Royal Highness, saw the last also of the Count de Guerchy, late Ambassador from France to this court, and for whom the Duke had always declared the highest consideration and regard.

OCTOBER 5. It is said, that the much lamented death of his late Royal Highness the Duke of York has destroyed

the hopes of many indigent gentlemen of real merit, whose livelihood and future prospects depended on this generous benevolent Prince, who shewed himself upon all occasions a friend to modest merit in whatever station he met with it.

OCTOBER 6. Both houses of parliament will meet to-morrow, when they will be further prorouged to the 24th of next month, pursuant to his Majesty's proclamation in last Saturday's Gazette.

An ingenious shipwright at Portsmouth has lately built a small vessel of an entire new construction, after the manner of an Indian praw, which works to windward without going about, and runs in fair weather 18 miles in an hour. It is taken from the model of one of the vessels brought home by the late Lord Anson in the Centurion, from the Ladrone Islands.

OCTOBER 7. Private letters from Lisbon mention, that his Excellency Mr. Lyttleton, by his spirited conduct, appears to have gained more ground in a few conferences with the prime minister, than was expected in as many months.

A correspondent informs us, that Captain James Merryfield, late commander of the Prince-Fredinand privateer, fitted out from the port of Rye, in Sussex, is now in London, He sailed from Rye on a cruize against the Swedes, Tuscans, and Imperialists, and took several prizes under sanction of the King of Prussia's commission; notwithstanding which he was seized and imprisoned in a dungeon at Malta, for five years, five months and thirteen days: At last, by the intercession of the Prince of Brunswick, and the Prince of Hildesheim, who cleared up his innocence to his Prussian Majesty, he was, by his order, discharged.

Extract of a letter from Ratisbon, September 17, 1767.

"Last Friday morning we heard the report of cannon from eleven in the morning till three in the afternoon, and towards evening we received an account that a detachment of the Elector of Bavaria's troops had destroyed a mill which stood about three leagues from hence, on the side of the Danaube, below Worth, and belonged to the bishop of Ratisbon. An express was immediately dispatched to give advice thereof to our Prince bishop.

CHARLES-TOWN, DECEMBER 29.

WE hear that a Party of Creek Indians have lately fallen upon a hunting Party of Chickesaws in their Camp, and killed most of them. If this be true, it is probable the War among the Southern Indians will become general.

By Intelligence from St. Augustine we learn, that Governor Grant had been a Voyage in his Vessel the East-Florida, from Picolata as far as the Great-Lake, and is so well pleased with St. John's River that he intends immediately to make a Settlement there, as that River is settling very fast and will soon be the most flourishing Part of the Province. —Messrs. Penman, McDougal, &c. are now settled at the Muskitoes, and great Things are expected from that Quarter. —We also learn, that Governor Grant is much pleased with the Issue of the late Congress with the Creek Indians at Picolata: It was begun, carried on, and finished to the Satisfaction of all concerned.

His Majesty's Ship Bonetta, James Wallace, Esq; Commander, is arrived at New-Providence from Great-Britain, and is soon expected here.

Yesterday being the Feast of ST. JOHN EVANGELIST, the Society of FREE-MASONS, assembled in the Morning, and went in Procession to ST. MICHAEL's Church, where an excellent Discourse suitable to the Occasion, was delivered by the Reverend Mr. SAMUEL HART, a Brother; the Members present, being in Number about 112, among whom were the Right Worshipful EGERTON LEIGH, Esq; who presided as Provincial Grand-Master, in the Room of the the Right Worshipful BENJAMIN SMITH, Esq; WILLIAM BURROWS, Esq; as Deputy Grand-Master; and many other Gentlemen of Distinction; and after Service was over, they returned to the LODGE-ROOM at Mr. DILLON's, where an elegant Entertainment was provided, and the Day closed with that Harmony and Satisfaction so conspicuous in the Assemblies of that Ancient Fraternity.

Last Tuesday the Brig Ranger, Captain Pickles, arrived here from London, in whom came Passengers, Mr. Wilson, Partner with Mr. Coram; Mr. Cooke for this Place; Mr. Hunt for East-Florida, and sundry others.

The same Day, Mr. William Skirving and Lady, returned here from New-Providence.

Captain Joseph Durfee arrived here last Sunday Evening from Rhode-Island, in whom returned Mrs. Elliott and Daughter, of this Town.

The Inhabitants of the Towns of Newport and Providence in Rhode-Island Government, have appointed Committees to enter into Measures for promoting Industry, Oeconomy, and Manufactures; and for discouraging, as much as possible, the further Importation of European Manufactures, foreign Superfluities, &c. in the same Manner as the Inhabitants of Boston have done.

Since our last two Vessels have arrived here from Ireland, with a Number of People, who are come to settle in this Province.

DIED] Mrs. Mary Wragg, the Lady of William Wragg, Esq; whose Death is greatly lamented.—At George-Town, Mr. Thomas Mitchell, whose Death is also much lamented by all who had the Pleasure of his Acquaintance.

☞ We have not been able to obtain the Entries, &c. for this Day's Gazette, on Account of the Holydays.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

TO BE SOLD at the usual place in Charles-Town, on Thursday the 14th of January 1768, precisely at twelve o'clock;

THE south part of a lot in King-street, containing in front on said street 50 feet, in depth about 98 feet; adjoining to the house of the late William Elliott on the south, and to a vacant lot of Francis Baker on the north; there is on it a very good brick kitchen, 20 by 15 feet, and a wooden tenement occupied by Mr. William Bushell. The conditions are twelve months credit, paying interest, and giving security.

EDWARD OATS, Vendue-Master.

TO BE SOLD at auction, at the usual place in Charles-Town, on Tuesday the 19th of January 1768;

THE house and lot in Old Church-street, where Mr. John Perdriau now lives. The lot contains forty-three feet in front, and one hundred and thirty-five feet deep.—The purchaser may have twelve months credit, on paying interest, and giving approved security.

SAMUEL PRIOLEAU, jun. & Co.

A QUANTITY of choice barreled PORK, to be SOLD, by DAVID WILLIAMS.

JUST imported in the sloop Charles-Town, Joseph Durfee, Master, from Rhode-Island, and to be sold, by

NATHANIEL RUSSELL,

At his store on Colonel Beale's wharf;

NORTHWARD rum, loaf sugar, muscovado ditto in barrels, cheese, pickled cod-fish in barrels, spermaceti candles, tallow ditto, desks, tables, riding chairs, spermaceti oil, apples, onions, &c.

For any of the WINDWARD ISLANDS,

The Sloop CHARLES-TOWN,
JOSEPH DURFEE, MASTER;

IS ready to take on board immediately. For freight or passage, having good accommodations, apply to the said Master on board, or to NATHANIEL RUSSELL.

For PORTUGAL, LONDON, or COWES, and a MARKET,

The Ship AVON,
ALEXANDER URQUHART, Master;
(A fast sailing vessel)

BURTHEN 700 barrels. For freight or passage, having good accommodations, apply to said Master, at Burn's old wharf, or JOHNSTON & SIMPSON.

N. B. Capt. Urquhart has for sale, a small quantity of very good claret, Bell's ale, and a few barrels of Scots porter.

FOR BRISTOL DIRECTLY,
The Ship ANNE,
GEORGE FORTEN, Master.

WILL be loaded about the fifteenth of January, or sooner. For freight of indico, deer-skins, or any light goods, apply to the said Master, or to HENRY LAURENS.

SAMUEL GROVE,

HAS just imported in the Beaufain, Captain Curling, from London, and in the Liberty, Captain Lasley, from Bristol;

A VARIETY of superfine broad cloths and trimmings, Huffar cloaks, printed linens and calicoes, 3-4th, 7-8th and yard wide Irish linens, fine ell wide sheeting ditto, bordered handkerchiefs, black figured cardinals, alamode, Scots and other thread, spiecs, salad oil, bohea tea, ready made bed ticks, bell metal mortars and pestles, linseed oil in jugs, paints of all sorts, physical drugs, mens shoes and pumps, boys and childrens ditto, nails of all sorts, best broad hoes, and pitching axes, beer and cyder in hampers, and sundry other articles too tedious to mention, which with a general assortment of other goods, lately imported, he will sell on the most reasonable terms, at his store in Beaufort, kept by Mr. PETER LAVINE; those who please to favour him with their custom may depend on being well served, and orders from the country will be punctually complied with.

THE subscribers give notice, that they only have the power to receive and give discharges for all debts due to the late co-partnerships of Logan, Guerin and Vanderhorst, and Thomas Gwillim Scott, and Co. All bonds and notes due to them, and their books of accounts, being placed in their hands for that purpose, and desires all persons indebted to them, to settle with us to our satisfaction immediatly, otherwise, their being an absolute necessity for closing the concerns of those companies, their debtors will be sued without distinction, or further application.

6 w. JOHN LOGAN,
ELIAS VANDERHORST.

A SMALL Parcel of very likely new NEGROES, on board the Brigantine ANTIGUA, Captain FORBES, to be sold, by

GEORGE SMITH,

Who has also for Sale, a Quantity of Jamaica Rum, Antigua and St. Kitts ditto, the Antigua near equal to Jamaica; a few Barrels of choice Irish Beef, also a Quantity of good Bees Wax.

To be hired out by the Year, on reasonable Terms,

THREE pair of sawyers, and one squarer; or to be put out on Shares in a sawing plantation, in case the distance is not very great from Charles-Town. Enquire of the Printer.

TO BE SOLD,

A FEW Barrels of Irish Ship Bread. Enquire at Mr. Sarazine's in Broad-street, of GUERIN & WILLIAMSON.

TO BE SOLD at public Vendue, on Wednesday the 13th Day of January 1768, at the plantation of the late Michael Geiger, deceased, in St. George's parish, near Bacon's Bridge;

ALL the personal estate of the said deceased, consisting of 35 valuable slaves, household furniture, plantation tools, about 80 head of neat cattle, a stock of horses, hogs and sheep, a riding chair, ox cart with yoaks and chains, three horse carts and three trucks. The conditions of sale will be, cash for all sums under Fifty Pounds, and credit for all above till the first day of May 1768, paying interest and giving security, if required. The property not to be altered till the conditions of sale are complied with. All persons to whom the estate is indebted, are desired to send in their accounts, and those who are any ways indebted to the said estate are requested to make payment to

JACOB GEIGER, Administrator.

ALEXANDER TWEED informs me of a dun coloured pacing horse, with a black stroke along his back, thirteen hands and an half high, about seven years old, branded on each cheek CI in one, and two black strokes across his withers, having broke into his corn field. The owner must prove his property before

MAURICE SIMONS, J. P.

BROUGHT TO THE WORK-HOUSE.

December 24. A negro fellow of the Rice Coast, calls himself PETER, says his master's name is Mr. Sumter, and lives at Nelson's ferry; he is five feet six inches high, carries the marks of an old offender, wants a tooth in his lower jaw, and his ears bored; has on a check shirt, black breeches, and green negro cloth leggings. Taken up on the other side of the Quarter-house,

Imported in the ship Anne, George Forten, Master, from Philadelphia;

SUPERFINE flour in barrels, three quarter and half barrels, Hayne's best double beer, ship bread, bundles of hay, hampers of empty bottles, and fine Bristol fish in bags, containing four bushels each. Enquire at Roper's wharf of EDWARD BLAKE.

JUST imported, and to be sold, near the Watch-house, by

SIMON TUFTS,

SUPERFINE flour in barrels, half barrels and kegs, water bread, all sorts of rum, wine, loaf and brown sugar, citron, molasses, vinegar, and a few quintals of exceeding good cod-fish, Northward potatoes and onions, by the bushel, &c.

WILLIAM HUTCHINS,

WRITING-MASTER, in GADSDEN'S-ALLEY,

RETURNS his most sincere Thanks to the Publick for the many Favours conferred upon him during two Years School-Keeping; and will only say, that he always makes it his chief STUDY and CARE to merit a Continuance of the same, by instructing his Pupils in the most concise and expeditious Manner.

He will open School (after the Holydays) on Monday the eleventh Day of January 1768, where Youth may be taught READING, WRITING and ARITHMETICK, both VULGAR and DECIMAL, together with MENSURATION, GAUGING, &c. &c.

☞ He also keeps an EVENING-SCHOOL, and boards Youth on moderate terms.

RAN-AWAY from the subscriber on the 26th of September last, a negro named BOATSWAIN, and a negro Wench named SILLY, they are both of the Gambia country, and have been in this province about three years; they can speak but very little English: The fellow has a thin visage, with his country marks on his jaws, and has lost some of fore teeth, he has remarkable large limbs, particularly his legs, on which are his country marks: The wench is very thin and spare. Whoever apprehends and delivers the above negroes to me, at my plantation in Christ-Church parish, or to the warden of the work-house in Charles-Town, shall receive Ten Pounds reward, and reasonable charges, from ELIAS WIGFALL.

STRAYED from the subscriber's plantation at Wambaw, an eagle coloured gelding, about thirteen hands and an half high, with a star in his forehead, and a snip on his nose, branded on his near thigh ⊏, it is imagined he is gone to Broad-River. FIVE POUNDS reward will be paid to any person who delivers him at Wambaw, to SAMUEL WIGFALL.

SUPPOSED to be left in the range near the Congarees, by horse thieves, a small gray gelding, a trotter, branded on the mounting shoulder MS.

A brown mare, a pacer, 14 hands high, branded on the mounting shoulder W, on the buttock C, nine years old.

A small black horse, a trotter, crease fallen, brapded on the mounting thigh W, but obscurely.

A small sorrel horse, blaze faced, branded on the mounting shoulder ⊢. The Owners must prove their property before JOSEPH CURRY, T. M.

WILLIAM GIBBES,

RETURNS his hearty Thanks, to his Friends and Customers for all past Favours, and acquaints them, that he still continues the FACTORAGE BUSINESS in all its Branches, on the usual Commissions; and to enable him the better to comply with the Orders of his Friends, hath provided himself with three GOOD SCHOONERS of 100, 125 and 130 Barrels burthen, which will be constantly employed for that Purpose, and they may depend on being punctually served in Turn, as their Orders shall come to Hand.

He still continues to keep the Wharf adjoining Mr. Legare's, where constant Attendance will be given to dispatch such Boats as shall use the same.

And has to sell good West-India and Jamaica Rum in Hogsheads or Quarter Casks, and choice old Vidonia Wine in Bottles.

☞ He wants an Overseer for a Plantation, fifteen Miles from Town, a single Man, with a good Recommendation, and if he has a few Negroes, they will be taken on Shares, or hire. 6 w.

Charles-Town, December 12, 1767.

THE Subscriber having taken the House possessed by the late Mr. BENJAMIN BACKHOUSE, UP THE PATH, gives this public Notice, that on Wednesday next, the 23d Instant, he will open the same, for the Entertainment of Gentlemen and Ladies, in the genteelest Manner, with every Thing necessary for a Tavern or Coffee-House; and will be much obliged to all those who may be pleased to favour him with their Company. JOHN MOORE.

N. B. The Bowling-Green at said place will always be kept in good order; and horses taken in to stable on easy terms.

JUST PUBLISHED,

And to be SOLD by CHARLES CROUCH, *at his Printing-Office in Elliott-street, the Corner of Gadsden's Alley,*

AN ALMANACK, agreeable to the NEW-STILE, and on an entire NEW PLAN.—For the Year of CHRISTIAN Account 1768, being LEAP-YEAR.—Calculated for the Meridian of CHARLES-TOWN, SOUTH-CAROLINA, in Lat. 32 Deg. and 45 Min. North, and fitted to that Meridian Difference of Time from LONDON, which is 5 Hours and 15 Minutes West, but may serve all the adjacent Parts, with little Error, from Maryland to East-Florida.

By WILLIAM BALL, *Philomath.*

Wherein is given, the Time of the Sun's Rising and Setting; the Length of every Day; the Time of the Change and Full of the Moon; the Moon's Age every Day; the Part of the Body where the Sign is every Day; the Difference of Time between the Sun and a true going Clock or Watch, every five Days; the Time of the Moon's Rising and Setting; the Time of the Seven Stars Rising, Southing, and Setting, and the Time of some of the Planets Rising, Southing, and Setting, and several other Stars; the Eclipses of the Sun and Moon, the Aspects, and Judgment of the Weather, and the remarkable Days throughout the Year, with several other Things both improving and diverting.

WILLIAM WILLIAMSON,

In Broad-ſtreet, next door to Mr. Lockwood's, watch-maker, hath juſt imported per Captain Maſon, from Philadelphia;

GERMAN-TOWN manufactured mens worſted ſtockings, cotton ditto, thread ditto, ſhip bread, water and milk ditto, Philadelphia double beer and muſtard. He hath alſo to diſpoſe off, at eight and an half for one, white blond lace, black ditto, thread lace and footing, genteel and faſhionable ſuits of blond lace, yard wide plain lawn, book muſlin, jaconett ditto, and humhums, fine Engliſh chints, womens ſilk and thread ſtockings, ſilk mits, ſtomachers and ſleeve knots, laced and ribbon ruffs, muffs and tippets, ſilvered tippets, thread ditto, flowered minionet lawn, laced ruffles, black and white laced handkerchiefs, ſilvered ribbons, genteel French trimmings, Iriſh linen, black ſilk breeches patterns, black ſilk ſtockings, and ſundry other articles.

For COWES and the MARKETS,

THE SHIP

CHAMPION,

(A fine Veſſel)

JOHN BAKER, MASTER.

BURTHEN about 850 barrels of rice, with good accommodations for paſſengers. For freight or paſſage, apply to ſaid Maſter on board, or at Mr. Tyke's on the Bay.

A QUANTITY of BRICKS to be ſold at my landing 9 miles from town, on Cooper-river, in St. Thomas's pariſh. A line left at Mr. Neufville's will be forwarded.

JOHN MOORE.

Twenty Pounds Reward.

RUN-AWAY from the ſubſcriber's plantation on Saltcatcher river, about four weeks ago, and came towards Charles-Town, WALLEY, a ſtout likely young negro fellow, very ſenſible and plauſible, this country born, reads Engliſh, and ſpeaks it very plain; is pitted a little with the ſmall pox, and wears his hair for ordinary pretty long down his cheeks; was lately the property of Mr. Daniel Legare, jun. and formerly of Capt. Ebenezer Simmons of this town, in whoſe family he lately had a mother and ſiſters, and a wife belonging to Mr. Robert Cattell, at Aſhley-river; he is an excellent water and boatman. Whoever will deliver him to the ſubſcriber at Ponpon, or to the warden of the work-houſe in Charles-Town, ſhall have Twenty Pounds reward, from JAMES BONNOM.

N. B. Whoever harbours, employs, or carries him off, may be aſſured to ſuffer the utmoſt rigour of the law in that caſe.

THIS is to give notice to all perſons any ways indebted to the ſubſcriber, that they are deſired to make immediate payment on or before the firſt day of January, or otherwiſe they will be ſued without further notice; and all perſons to whom the ſubſcriber is any ways indebted, are deſired to bring in their accounts and ſettle.

N. B. To be ſold at publick Vendue, on Friday the 24th January, 1768, Three houſes, wherein I now live; alſo houſhold furniture, too tedious to mention. The houſe may be ſold ſeparate, as may ſuit the purchaſer.

WILLIAM M'LAUGHLIN.

AT the uſual Place in Charles-Town, on Thurſday the 14th of January 1768, WILL BE SOLD,

A PLANTATION, or tract of land, formerly occupied by Mr. John Norman, deceaſed, and containing 553 acres, or thereabouts, ninety of which is ſwamp, proviſion land a ſufficient quantity, and the reſt pine barren; it bounds to the north on the land of Daniel Blake, Eſq; to the weſt on Sarah Finley, to the ſouth and eaſt on William Norman's lands.——The conditions of ſale are, twelve months credit, paying intereſt from the day of ſale, and giving good perſonal ſecurity. The property not to be altered until theſe terms are complied with. A ſurvey of the whole tract has been lately made, and the plat, &c. may be ſeen in the hands of JOSIAH SMITH, jun.

WANTED,

A YOUNG Man who writes a tolerable Hand, and underſtands a little of Arithmetick. Enquire of the Printer.

TO BE SOLD at publick vendue, by the ſubſcriber, at Dr. Roſe's plantation, in Prince-William's pariſh, on Thurſday 24th of January, 1768, all the eſtate of John Connors, deceaſed, viz.

A VERY valuable negro fellow, a wench and child, acquainted with all ſorts of plantation work, ſome houſhold furniture, a ſtock of hogs, a few valuable young horſes. The conditions of ſale are, all ſums under Twenty Pounds to be Caſh, and all ſums above, three months credit will be allowed, giving ſecurity, and paying intereſt from the day of ſale. All thoſe that have any demands againſt the ſaid eſtate are deſired to bring in their accounts properly atteſted, and thoſe that are indebted thereto, to make immediate payment, to SAMUEL BENOIST, Adminiſtr.

TO BE SOLD by publick outcry, for ready money, on Thurſday the 14th day of January 1768, at the houſe of Mr. Thomas Melvin, in Jackſonſburgh, the following lots of land, belonging to the eſtate of William Eberſon, deceaſed, viz.

ONE town lot in the ſaid village, known in the general plan thereof, by the number II, whereon is a tolerable dwelling-houſe, good back ſtore, kitchen, &c. and at preſent occupied by Mr. Henry Webſter, merchant—One other lot in the ſaid village, known by the number XXXII, containing one hundred feet in front, and two hundred and eighteen in depth, without any buildings, but in a very good ſituation for a nice ſtore, being near the bridge, &c.—One town lot in Beaufort, Port-Royal, fronting New-ſtreet, known in the general plan of the town by the number XCVI, without any buildings.

ELIZABETH BALLINGALL, Executrix.
TOBIAS FORD, Executor.

WANTS EMPLOYMENT,

A PERSON well qualified for the compting-houſe buſineſs, who would undertake to keep a few regular ſets of books with expedition and diſpatch. Enquire of the Printer.

THE Subſcriber intreats the favour of all perſons indebted in any ways to him to diſcharge the ſame, on or before the firſt day of February next, as he is abſolutely determined to ferry over no perſon without the Money, except thoſe who ſhall ſign a written agreement by the year, and to commence the firſt day of January next, and to pay the ſame quarterly, as he is reſolved to keep no accounts of ſuch triffling ſums, which is attended with bad debts, and trouble in collecting; and he is likewiſe determined that no perſon ſhall paſs or repaſs, after the firſt of February next, unleſs they comply as above, except thoſe whoſe yearly ferriage is not then become due, and therefore he earneſtly deſires all perſons to pay due regard to this public notice, as he is reſolved to make no diſtinction of perſons.

Dec. 20, 1767. EDWARD LEGGE.

TO BE SOLD by the Subſcriber, at his plantation at Will-Town, on Thurſday the 11th of January enſuing, for Caſh, the property not to be altered until the money is paid,

ABOUT eight valuable NEGROES, belonging to the eſtate of William Smelie, deceaſed; alſo a few houſehold goods, and a ſmall ſtock of tame cattle, belonging to the eſtate of Henry Livingſton, junior, with ſome good machine horſes, belonging to the ſubſcriber.

☞ As he intends to remove into Georgia in the ſpring, he is ready to anſwer, or give bail, to any action, ſummons, or ſuit that may be brought againſt him.

CHARLES ODINGSELL.

TO BE SOLD at the ſame time and place;

A VALUABLE plantation, containing two hundred acres of land, belonging to Robert Gray, ſituate in St. Bartholomew's pariſh, lately occupied by Joſeph Hull, deceaſed, about five miles from Jackſonſburgh, up the Round O road. Twelve months credit will be given, if required, on giving good ſecurity, and paying intereſt from the day. Any perſon inclinable to purchaſe before the day of ſale, may treat with the ſaid Robert Gray, at Mr. Thomas Slanns.

TO BE SOLD at publick vendue, at the uſual place in Charles-Town, on Thurſday the 7th of January 1768;

A PLANTATION on Aſhley-river, between William Scott and Whitemarſh Fuller, Eſquires, containing 284 acres, old meaſure, good for corn or indico; and on the ſaid land is a good dwelling-houſe, 40 feet by 15, with a piazza on the backſide, and a new kitchen and waſh-houſe. There is 36 acres under good fence. Any perſon inclinable to purchaſe before the day of ſale, may treat with the ſubſcriber on the ſpot. PETER STONE.

TO BE SOLD,

On Wedneſday the 20th of January, 1768, at the plantation of the late William Townſend, of St. Thomas's pariſh, the real and perſonal eſtate of the deceaſed, conſiſting of

A PLANTATION containing 250 acres, whereon is a good dwelling-houſe, and other out-buidings, is well timbered with ſawing pine, and is well ſituated for attending the market, being about fifteen miles diſtant from Charles-Town, and adjoining to a landing. Alſo ſeveral valuable SLAVES, plantation tools, houſhold furniture, and about ſixty head of tame cattle, ten of which are working oxen, ſeveral riding horſes, a riding chair, and one ox and horſe cart.

At the ſame Time will be SOLD,

ANOTHER Tract of entire new land, ſituated in St. James, Santee, bounded to the north by lands of John Galliard, John Barnett and Francis Duſhamp, to the eaſt by vacant lands at the time of the grant, to the ſoutheaſtward on lands belonging to the eſtate of George Benſon, deceaſed, to the ſouthweſtward on lands of Theodore Galliard. Twelve months credit will be given for the lands, and four months for all ſums above Fifty Pounds of the perſonal eſtate, the purchaſers paying intereſt, and giving ſecurity, if required. All perſons to whom the ſaid eſtate is any ways indebted, are deſired to bring in their accounts by the tenth of ſaid month, and all thoſe that are indebted thereto, are requeſted to make payment on or before the day of ſale.

STEPHEN TOWNSEND, Executor.

JOSHUA LOCKWOOD, Watch-Maker,

INFORMS his friends that he has a very neat aſſortment of Clocks and Watches come by Captain Curling, which he will ſell as low, by retail, as in London, and he who buys may change within the year, provided they do not like the performance, and without the leaſt impoſition.

N. B. Having now been twelve years in trade, and never made a ſettlement, he thinks it high time to cloſe his old books, therefore informs his friends, that all accounts unpaid the laſt of January 1768, will be immediately given to a lawyer to put in ſuit. No further notice will be given to thoſe whoſe accounts were due in January 1767.

ALEXANDER CADDELL, Breeches-Maker and Glover, living in Broad-ſtreet, near the State-Houſe, being obliged to leave the province on account of his health, deſires all perſons who have demands againſt him to come for their money, and thoſe indebted to him, to make immediate payment. Thoſe who have left breeches with him to clean, or repair, are deſired to call for them in one month from the date hereof, or they will be ſold. *December* 20, 1767.

MANSELL, CORBETT, & Co.

HAVE imported in the ſhip Planters Adventure, Miles Lowley, Maſter, from London,

A compleat aſſortment of GOODS, which they will diſpoſe of at a low advance, at their ſtore in Tradd-ſtreet, among which are the following;

SUPERFINE faſhionable broad cloths with ſuitable trimmings, good Cheſhire and Glouceſter cheeſe, Kenton's beſt porter in barrels, POTATOES, ſplit peaſe, Italian London made riding chairs and chaiſes, green Windſor chairs, raiſins in and out of the jar, currants, almonds in and out of the ſhell, faſhionable ſilks and ſtuffs for ladies gowns, ſilk petticoats, japanned tea tables, tea cheſts, waiters and bread baſkets, very cheap ſtuffs for negro wenches gowns, guns with bayonets and ſlings compleat at 24 l. each, or cheaper taking a quantity, marble ſlabs with brackets, Port wine in bottles, Wilton carpets, womens ſtraw hats and bonnets, an elegant glaſs pyramid, ſmoke-jacks and corn-mills. ALSO,

A quantity of ſtone brimſtone and manna to be ſold very cheap, and extraordinary fine CLARET, at twelve pounds a dozen, tbetf.

ANY Carpenter, or other Perſon, who will undertake to remove my Houſe up the Path, and place the ſame in like Order and Condition it now is, upon my Lot in Tradd-ſtreet, ſhall have for his Reward, the Land on which it ſtands, being ſixteen Acres, and all the Out-buildings.

RAWLINS LOWNDES.

TO BE SOLD,

The following lands, being part of the eſtate of Mr. Joſeph De St. Julien. Enquire of David Guerard, or William Bampfield, in whoſe hands the plats may be ſeen.

A Lot of land on the north ſide of Broad-ſtreet, between the houſes where the Lieutenant Governor and Mr. Thomas Adam's now live, containing in front fifty feet, and about ninety in depth.

Several tracts adjoining each other, making in the whole 775 acres, old meaſure, ſituate in St. John's pariſh, Berkley County, near Captain William Moultrie.

Five hundred acres old meaſure, on Santee River, adjoining lands of Mr. Iſaac Mazyck and James de St. Julien, at the time of the ſurvey.

Five hundred acres old meaſure, on Little Pedee River, granted to James Crockatt, adjoining lands of Mr. Parry, at the time of the ſurvey.

JUST imported in the Schooner William, from Boſton, and to be ſold by David Brace, *at his ſtore on Motte's wharf,*

NORTHWARD rum in tierces and barrels, double and ſingle refined loaf ſugar, train oil, blubber, bohea tea by the cheſt, cod fiſh, raiſins, and a few quarter caſks of choice Mountain wine.

N. B. Rice will be taken in payment for any of the above articles.

A YOUNG Man, who can bring a good Recommendation, will be glad of employ as attendant to a ſtore-keeper. Enquire of the Printer.

THIS is to give NOTICE that I have removed to the Corner of King-ſtreet and Queen-ſtreet, where Mr. Andrew Broughton lately lived, remarkable for the Trees growing before the Door. As the Houſe is very large, and an Addition of a very good Stable, makes it convenient for a Houſe of Entertainment for Country Perſons, where the beſt Attendance will be had; therefore hope for the Continuance of my Cuſtomers, and the Favour of all others, as it will be my chief Study to give Satisfaction to every Perſon.

PETER SANDERS.

N. B. Four Day-Boarders agreeable to each other will be boarded.—Five Horſes will be taken to Stable by the Quarter at £.25 each, where Stalls will be provided for them.

JAMES McCALL,

HAS juſt imported in the Champion, Captain John Baker, from Briſtol, a large ſupply of GOODS, amongſt a variety of other articles are,

UPERFINE broad cloths with ſuitable trimmings, fine black, blue and ſcarlet breeches patterns, Iriſh ſhirting and ſheeting linen, ſail cloth, No. 1 to 4, bottled beer, cyder, Taunton ale and perry, raiſins and currants; a great variety of tin ware and ironmongery, large milk pans, large and ſmall flower pots with handles, nine and twelve inch ſquare red floring tiles, diamond paving ſtones, glaſs candle ſhades, ſhew glaſſes, one and two quart tumblers with covers, engraved decanters and tumblers, plain and flowered beer glaſſes, grind and quern ſtones; a great variety of joiners and carpenters planes, ſhop, ſail and ſeine twine, all which will be ſold reaſonable at his ſtore in Tradd-ſtreet, lately occupied by his brother John McCall, jun. and next to Meſſrs. Atkins and Weſton. 6 w.

RUN-AWAY from the ſubſcriber at Wappoo, a negro boy, named CATO, formerly the property of James Starland, at Stono, about ſixteen years of age, ſlim made, ſpeaks good Engliſh; had on when he went away, a green jacket and trowſers. Whoever delivers him to the warden of the work-houſe, ſhall have Five Pounds reward. From the ſame place was ſtolen a canoe, about twenty-three feet long, and four feet wide of the beam, rows with five oars, has been paid over the bottom with Spaniſh brown, and weather beaten in the inſide. Two Dollars reward will be given for her, on delivery to the ſubſcriber, or to Edward Fenwicke, Eſq; in Charles-Town. JOHN M'ILLRAITH.

RUN-away from the ſubſcriber about the beginning of May laſt, two Negro fellows, named EXETER, and TOPSAM: *Exeter* is about ſix feet high, pretty well made, of a yellow complexion, about thirty years of age; had on when he went away, a large iron on his left leg: *Topſam* is a ſtout well made fellow, about 28 years of age, and about five feet five inches high; had on when he went away, an iron on each leg, with three or four links of chain between, and carries on his back the marks of an old offender; he has frequently run-away, and gone over to the plantation of one *Whiteſides* at *Hobcaw*, where (it is ſuppoſed) he has been harboured for thirteen months at a time, and it is probable he may have now made over there again, (and carried *Exeter* with him) as he has a father there named *Briſol*, who did belong to the ſaid *Whiteſides*, and formerly to the eſtate of *William Allen*, to which eſtate the ſaid *Topſam* did formerly belong. Any perſon taking up ſaid fellows, and delivering them to the Warden of the Work-houſe, or to the ſubſcriber, ſhall receive a reward of FIVE POUNDS for each. And any perſon giving information of their being harboured, if by a white perſon, ſhall receive a reward of FIFTY POUNDS, to be paid on conviction of the offender.

Auguſt 3, 1767. JOHN CATTELL, ſon of Peter.

WHEREAS there is an abſolute neceſſity to ſettle the affairs of *Robert Stedman*, deceaſed, and the partnerſhip of *Stedman* and *Boomer*, by the 25th of January 1768; all thoſe indebted to either by bond, note, or open accompt, are begg'd to ſettle the ſame by the above date; and thoſe to whom either is indebted are earneſtly requeſted to bring in their accompts to, and receive payment, from

JOHN BOOMER.

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DAVID DOTT,

HAS juſt imported in the Ship Canada, Peter M'Leod, Commander, from London;

A Great variety of German and Britiſh oſnabrugs, Iriſh linen and ſheeting, printed linens, cottons and calicoes, Scots and Manchester checks, fine flowered ſilks, worſted, thread, cotton and ſilk hoſe, worſted and ſilk breeches patterns, chipt and Legborn hats, mens ſuperfine beaver, men and boys felt ditto, London porter in caſks and bottles, fine cut tobacco in boxes of ten pounds each, bohea and hyſon tea, loaf ſugar, 4d, 6d, 8d, 10d, 20d, 30d, and 40d nails, Crowley's beſt broad hoes; and a variety of broad cloths with ſuitable trimmings; with a great many articles proper for the ſeaſon; all which he will ſell at a very moderate advance, at his ſtore on the Bay, lately occupied by Meſſrs Guerin and Williamſon.

N.B. He begs the favour of all perſons who were indebted to him before he went to England, to diſcharge their reſpective debts by the firſt of January 1768, which will prevent further trouble to themſelves as well as to David Dott.

TO BE SOLD,

A PLANTATION in St. James's Pariſh, Goose-Creek, where Doctor Mottet now lives;

CONTAINING ſix hundred and ſeventeen acres, whereon is a good dwelling-houſe, overſeer's houſe, and every other neceſſary building, in good repair. On the ſaid plantation may be made an extraordinary rice field, of upwards of two hundred acres, out of a marſh of fine blue clay foundation, having ſufficient back water for a thouſand acres. Alſo as good a brick yard as any in the province may be erected on a landing where a veſſel of one hundred tons burthen may load at any time of tide, with a great quantity of proper wood for the buſineſs near at hand, with conveniency of water, &c.——Any perſon inclinable to purchaſe ſaid plantation, with ſix Negroes, a good ſtock of tame cattle, horſes, &c. alſo a great quantity of hay, potatoes, and other proviſions, muſt apply to Doctor Wilſon in Charles-Town, to Mr. William Withers, or to me at Gooſe Creek. LEWIS MOTTET.

JOHN WARD, TAYLOR;

HAS juſt imported in the AMERICA, Captain RAINIER, from LONDON;

A Freſh Aſſortment of the beſt ſuperfine London dreſs'd BROAD-CLOTHS, alſo all uſeful materials for his buſineſs; likewiſe ſcarlet, crimſon, and black ſuperfine pluſh; the very beſt of ſilk and worſted breeches pieces of all colours; gold and ſilver trimmings; bought upon the beſt terms by as good a judge as any in England, which enables him to ſell much lower than the common advance.——All GENTLEMEN may therefore ſave themſelves a great deal of trouble, and prevent having ſo many different bills for their clothes, as he can ſupply them with the cloth as well as with the materials, and have their clothes made near as cheap as can be ſent from England, ſince he in future fixes the price of a ſuit of clothes, with all ſuitable trimmings, from FORTY-FIVE to FIFTY POUNDS currency a ſuit, and GENTLEMEN may be ſupplied on the ſhorteſt notice.——He likewiſe cleans GOLD and SILVER LACE.

DAVIES & WAYNE,

OF CHARLES-TOWN;

HAVING aſſigned over to me, in Behalf of their Creditor in England, their Books, Bonds, Notes, Accounts, and other Effects: I HEREBY GIVE NOTICE THEREOF, and adviſe all Perſons whatſoever indebted to them, to ſettle with me, and pay their Debts, as I am determined to put every ſuch Debt in ſuit as faſt as I can make them out.

I alſo give the ſame Notice to all Perſons indebted to the Eſtate of ANDREW JOHNSTON, and THOMPSON and HUNTER, deceaſed, late Merchants of this Province.

ROBERT RAPER.

SHEED & WHITE,

HAVING for ſome time declined the DRY GOODS buſineſs, and being determined to cloſe their affairs the enſuing winter, gives this laſt and final NOTICE to all whom it may concern, that ſuch bonds, notes or accompts, as are not diſcharged by the firſt of February next, will without diſtinction be ſued. *October* 21, 1767.

THE Co-partnerſhip of the ſubſcribers being for ſome time diſſolved, the neceſſity they are under for a ſpeedy cloſe of their concerns, obliges them thus PUBLICKLY to inform all thoſe whoſe bonds, notes or open accompts, may remain unpaid by the firſt of February next, that on that day they are determined to place the ſame into the hands of an attorney, to be ſued for without diſtinction.

October 21, 1767. JOHN STEWART, & Co.

RUN-AWAY about the 10th of October laſt, from my plantation in St. Thomas's pariſh, a negro fellow named ABRAHAM, lately belonging to Doctor Cholmondely Dering; he is well known in Stono pariſh, and had a wife at the late William Elliott's plantation in ſaid pariſh; he has been ſeen near Aſhley-river, in his way to Stono. Any perſon that will apprehend the ſaid fellow and deliver him to me in Charles-Town, ſhall have Ten Pounds reward. BENJAMIN SIMONS.

LOST, or Stolen out of my Houſe, about the 5th November, a large SILVER TABLE SPOON, marked C.

C. M. If offered for Sale, pray ſtop the Thief, and give Notice to CHARLES CROUCH.

HARLESTON & BONNEAU,

HAVE imported in the Portland, and other late Veſſels from London, a great Variety of FRESH GOODS, among which are,

BROAD cloths and trimmings, German ſerges of moſt colours, black, blue and claret coloured ſerge de nim, blue, green and ſcarlet whitneys, Bath coating, Arouds, bed blankets, counterpanes, matraſſes, Flanders ticks, bed bunts, liſt carpeting, Raven's duck, mens ready made clothes, ſcarlet cloaks and cardinals, quilted petticoats, worſted damaſks, blue, green, crimſon and black calimancoes, and other plain and figured ſtuffs, black taffety, pink and crow coloured mantua, plain and corded black paduaſoys, blue ditto, bombazeen, crow poplin, Scots plaid, gauze and lawn handkerchiefs, coloured ditto, muffs and tippets, demity, dark cotton gown patterns, black, blue and claret coloured velvet, 3-4th and 7-8th checks, blue and white, and red and white furniture ditto, ginghams, 3-4th, 7-8th and yard wide Iriſh linens, ſheeting ditto, oſnabrugs, men and womens ſhoes and ſtockings of all ſorts, boys and girls ditto, beſt beaver and felt hats, broad and narrow hoes, carpenters and coopers adzes and axes, howels, augers, gouges, broad, heading, pairing and firmers chizels, trowels, croſs-cut, hand and whip-ſaws, with proper files, hinges and locks of all kinds, ſhutter bolts, fire dogs, ſhovel and tongs, chamber and kitchen bellows, iron dripping pans, ſpits, ſcewers, corn mills, coffee ditto, extra rice ſieves with deep rims, copper and poliſhed iron tea kettles, pewter water plates, coffin furniture, pinching and curling irons, ivory and aſſes ſkin memorandum books, japanned waiters, pocket looking glaſſes, Turkey coffee pots, leather bottle ſtands, blue and white bottles and baſons, ſilver tea and table ſpoons, ſets of tea and table china, portmanteau trunks, tin and glaſs lanthorns, gold regimental hat lace, Pruſſian binding and gold garters, braſs barrel piſtols, fowling pieces, rifle and glazed gunpowder, marble mortars and peſtles, alſo two white marble dials with ſtone pillars, ſuperfine Oronoka tobacco, choice BOTTLED PORTER, DORCHESTER and BRISTOL BEER, bohea and hyſon tea, candy, loaf and barley ſugars, raiſins, currants, &c. &c.

N. B. Good old Jamaica, Weſt-India and Northward RUM, Madera WINE, muſcovado SUGAR, coffee, piemento and ginger.

BROUGHT TO THE WORK-HOUSE.

October 7, 1766. A well ſet new Negro fellow, who ſpeaks no Engliſh, has on an old white Negro Cloth jacket with pewter buttons, has a ſmall beard.——Taken up at Coofawatchee.

——The above Negro fellow, ſince his being advertiſed, ſays his name is FRANK.

December 13. A pretty tall well made Negro fellow who calls himſelf MARCH, but will not or cannot tell his maſter's name; has on old white Negro cloth cloaths and blanket, and a large bump on his right ſhoulder; was taken up at Col. Heyward's plantation, Cuckhold's creek, Combahee.

July 18, 1767. A dark mulatto who calls himſelf *John Burnett*, ſays he is free, and was born in Henerita county in Virginia, but his father lives at Long-Canes, were he has been theee years, and ſays they both uſed to drive waggons, by one of which he has loſt all the fingers of his right hand; he alſo ſays he is a ſawyer, and was coming to town to look for work; has nothing on but an old ſhirt, and was taken up at Mr. Croft's plantation, up the path.

July 22. A new Negro fellow, who calls himſelf *Belfaſt*, and ſays his maſter's name is *Bobby*; he is about five feet ſix inches high, full faced, and has the mark of a ſhot on his left thigh, which he ſaid was done by his maſter; has on an old white Negro cloth jacket and yellow breeches; and was taken up at Mr. Ball's plantation, Silk-Hope.

September 30. A Negro wench of the Angola country, who calls herſelf JENNY, but can't tell her maſter's name; ſhe is a ſhort wench, of a yellow complexion, with very ſmall breaſts; ſhe has on an old white Negro cloth wrapper and petticoat. Taken up at Mr. Waring's plantation at Beach-Hill.

November 8. A Negro fellow of the Yallunka country, calls himſelf *Dick*, and his Maſter's BILLY HAZZARD, he is 5 feet 7 inches high, full faced, his ears bored, teeth filed, a pretty long beard, and his country marks on his right arm; has on a white Negro cloth rapper and trowſers. Taken up at William M'Lauchlin's plantation at Ponpon.

December 6. A negro fellow of the Angola country, calls himſelf JEFFRY, ſays his old maſter's name was *John Williams*, and died in Georgia, but the reſt of the negroes being ſeized, he run-away to go to his young maſter in North-Carolina, whoſe name is *William Williams*; he is four feet eleven inches high, full faced, about 40 years of age, and has on old an cambiet jacket and black everlaſting breeches. Taken up at Cuckhold's creek, Combahee.

December 7. A new negro fellow from Gambia, but can't tell his own or maſter's name; he is five feet eight inches eigh, has his country marks on his forehead, and a piece out of his left ear; he is about 20 years of age, and has on a white negro cloth robbin and trowſers. Taken up at Wappetaw Bridge, Seowee.

ALL perſons who have demands upon the eſtate of George Marſhall, deceaſed, are deſired to give them in properly atteſted, and thoſe indebted to the eſtate are requeſted to make payment.

WILLIAM GLEN,
ALEXANDER PETRIE, } Executors.
6 m. ROBERT BRISBANE,

WANTED,

A WHITE Woman of a good Character, to wait upon a Lady going to England. Enquire of the Printer.

GEORGE PARKER,

At his Store in Church-ſtreet, the Corner of Elliott-ſtreet, hath a great Variety of

GENTEEL braſs and ſteel mounted FIRE GRATES with fenders, &c. ſuitable for dining-rooms or compting-houſes, which he will ſell extremely cheap for ready money; alſo a large quantity of exceeding fine BUTTER in ſmall kegs, from the Iriſh ſettlements, which is little inferior to freſh butter; FLOUR, MILK and WATR BISCUIT juſt imported, together with hyſon and bohea tea, London loaf ſugar, muſcovado ditto in barrels and kegs, RUM, WINE, SALT, QUERN STONES, PAINTS of all colours, TRAIN and LINSEED OIL by the barrel, or ſmaller quantity; beſt French VERDIGREASE, PARROT and BIRD CAGES; fine raiſins of the ſun; a large variety of neweſt faſhioned minionet, blown and thread LACES, &c. &c. all which he will ſell cheap.

IMPORTED in the Ship PEARL, WALTER BUCHANNAN, *Maſter, from* GLASGOW *and* CORKE, *and to be ſold cheap;*

BEST SCOTS COALS, fine ALE in Bottles.——Alſo divers Tradeſmen and Women (not Convicts, nor taken from Impriſonment) whoſe Indentures of Servitude, for four Years, ſome more or leſs, are to be transfered to Perſons who will pay their Paſſages.

The ſaid Ship PEARL is to proceed directly for Liſbon, having one Half of her Cargo engaged, and wants about 400 Barrels of Rice upon Freight. For any of the above Purpoſes, apply to Mr. Edward Blake, at Roper's Wharf, or to HENRY LAURENS.

TO BE SOLD,

A LARGE Plank built Boat, now lying before my Door, will carry about Sixty Barrels of Rice, and is very fit for a River Trade, being built more eſpecially for that Purpoſe; ſhe has a good Cabbin and Forecaſtle, and is in pretty good Repair. Any Perſons inclinable to purchaſe, may know the Terms, by applying to JUSTINUS STOLL.

SOUTH-CAROLINA.

WHEREAS a General Review of the Berkley-County Regiment is intended, PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given to the reſpective Captains in ſaid Regiment, that they be and appear with their ſeveral Companies, properly armed and accoutred, at the Places and Times herein after mentioned, viz.

Thomas Elliott, Eſq; of Aſhley-River, Benjamin Smith, Eſq; of Gooſe-Creek, William Sanders, Eſq; of St. George's Dorcheſter, and William Young, Eſq; of Indian-Field, their Companies, to aſſemble by nine o'Clock in the Morning, on Tueſday the 12th January, 1768, at the Town of Dorcheſter.

Stephen Mazyck, Eſq; of the upper Diſtrict of St. John's, John Harleſton, Eſq; of the lower Diſtrict of St. John's, their Companies, to aſſemble by Nine o'Clock in the Morning, on Thurſday the 14th January, 1768, at Monck's Corner.

Benjamin Marion, Eſq; of St. Thomas and St. Dennis, Stephen Miller, Eſq; of Cainhoy, and Andrew Quelch, Eſq; of Wando, their Companies, to aſſemble by Nine o'Clock in the Morning, at Forgartie's Ferry, on Thurſday the 28th January, 1768.

By Order of Robert Rivers, *Eſq; Colonel of ſaid Regiment.*

JOHN DART, Adjutant.

MANSELL, CORBETT, & Co.

HAVE imported in the Planters-Adventure, Captain Miles Lowley, from London, for ſale;

A Fine bay Mare, of the race-breed, fifteen hands high, ſhe was bred by the late Burlace Warren, Eſq; and got by Regulus out of a daughter of his famos mare called Silvertail, which was the dam of Careleſs, Fearnought and Sportſman. Alſo,

A fine young dark cheſnut gelding, four years old, and able to carry ſixteen ſtone a fox hunting. tfnetf

THE SUBSCRIBERS

Having entered into Co-partnerſhip, to ſell all Kinds of

COUNTRY PRODUCE,

And to carry on the

FACTORAGE BUSINESS,

In all its BRANCHES,

Upon the uſual COMMISSIONS;

BEG Leave to ſolicit their COUNTRY FRIENDS Favours; and to aſſure them, that they will always give ſuch STRICT ATTENTION to the INTERESTS of their Employers, as they flatter themſelves will give GENERAL SATISFACTION, and merit future Encouragement.

ANDREW BROUGHTON,
DANIEL DONOVAN.

☞ Their COMPTING-HOUSE is kept at ſaid BROUGHTON's, in Church-ſtreet, where Colonel *Brewton* formerly, and *Charles Pinckney*, Eſq; lately lived, and where all LETTERS or ORDERS to them, are deſired to be left.

ALL Kinds of Blanks uſed in this Province, may be had of CHARLES CROUCH, at his Printing-Office in Elliott-ſtreet.

JUST IMPORTED,
By JOHN EDWARDS, & Co.
In the Fair American, JOHN MINSHALL, Maſter, from Liverpool, and the Nancy, Capt. JORDAN, from London;

A Very large aſſortment of faſhionable ſuperfine, and middling broad cloths, and ſuitable trimmings; a great variety of plain, ſtriped and flowered faſhionable ſilks and ribbons; coloured and black faſhionable cloaks and hats to ſuit; Hanover thread and black lace. Alſo a very large aſſortment of well bought Iriſh linens, oznabrugs, checks, hats, ſtockings, ſhoes, and gloves of all ſorts and ſizes: A quantity of choice white and coloured plains; bags of good Iriſh feathers; a large quantity of very good ſingle and treble refine ſugar, very cheap for ready money by the quantity; copper-plate and common blue and white chimney tiles; crates of faſhionable cream-colour and ſtone ware, and crates of yellow ware; one, three, and four gallon jugs, very cheap by the dozen; large iron tea-kettles with riveted ſpouts; long, glazed, and ſhort pipes in boxes; choice bottled ale and beer, cheeſe, potatoes, coals, &c. alſo a few quarter pipes of rich old genuine Liſbon, and Calcavella wines, with many other uſeful articles, to be ſold reaſonable, either wholeſale or retail. 6 w

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BENJAMIN & EDWARD SIMONS,
RETURN thanks to their friends for their paſt favours, and acquaint them and the publick, that they continue carrying on the FACTORAGE BUSINESS in all its branches, on the uſual commiſſion, and for their better conveniency and reception of Indico, have taken the end ſtore on Mr. Berresford's wharf, fronting the Watch-Houſe, which is commodious for that Purpoſe.

ANY Perſon or Perſons willing to undertake the building a Bridge at Oendaw Bridge, are deſired to give in their Propoſals in Writing to the Commiſſioners of Chriſt-Church Pariſh, or to us in St. James, Santee, by the laſt Day of January. THEODORE GAILLARD, PETER MOUZON, JOHN BARNETT, JAMES COLLODON, LEWIS MILES, JOHN DRAKE.

CHRISTOPHER GADSDEN,
HAS framed a wharf at the North end of the town, and will be much obliged to the gentlemen any way concern'd in veſſels, for their *Ballaſt* delivered at his wharf, at the end of which any ſhip that comes over the bar may lay, and where there is every neceſſary convenience for diſcharging with the greateſt diſpatch.

N. B. He can diſpatch two veſſels together very well.

WARING & SHEPHEARD,
HAVE imported in Captain Curling, *from* London, *and the Captains* Baker *and* Laſley, *from* Briſtol;

A SMALL aſſortment of broad cloths with trimmings, broad and narrow gold lace, &c. yard wide Iriſh linens, 3-4th and 7-8th checks, ſtripes, garlix and huckaback, ſilk and worſted ſtuffs for winter wear, white and printed calicoes, and chints, red and white and blue and white copper plate cottons for beds, India perſians; a variety of ladies gloves and mits, green velvet maſks, black feathers, hair powder and ſtarch, Oronoco tobacco, china, mahogany chairs, breeding cages, neat ſteel fire grates with braſs ornaments, fire dogs, cheeſe, beer, cyder, nails of all kinds, wine and ſillabub glaſſes, oakum, iron pots of all ſizes, paints of all ſorts, linſeed oil and earthen ware; which with ſundry other articles, and thoſe before on hand, they will ſell very reaſonable at their ſtore on the Bay, the South corner of the Guard-Houſe.

FRANCES SWALLOW, SOLE-TRADER,
Juſt arrived in the Beaufain, Captain Curling, from London,
BEGS leave to inform the public, that ſhe has a variety of millinery GOODS, and intends to carry on the millinary buſineſs, as uſual, in the neweſt and genteeleſt taſte. She alſo propoſes teaching the tomboure work, and new mounts fans; ſhe would be extremely obliged to her friends for the continuance of their favours at her ſhop on the Bay, next door to Meſſrs. Dawſon and Dudley, near the Vendue-houſe.

N. B. A few large umbrelloes of the neateſt kind, to be ſold very reaſonable.

CHARLES STEVENS STOCKER,
Has to diſpoſe of, very reaſonable, at his Store in Tradd-Street,
CHOICE CLARET, at £.9 per dozen, PORT by the dozen, Madera and Vidonia WINES, by the pipe, quarter caſk, or any quantity not leſs than three gallons, and in bottles by the dozen.—Jamaica, Weſt-India and Northward RUM by the hogſhead, quarter caſk, or any quantity not leſs than three gallons, loaf, and muſcovado SUGAR, COFFEE, CHOCOLATE, &c.

ALSO, as he intends to decline the dry goods buſineſs, will diſpoſe of the remaining ſtock of goods on hand (conſiſting of a great variety of ſuch articles as are uſually imported) wholeſale and retale, upon very low terms.

PETER JOLLIFF, junior,
OF *POOLE*;
BEGS Leave to inform the Merchants, and all other Gentlemen of this Province, that he has built large and commodious Ware-houſes for the Reception and Shifting Rice Cargoes for the Markets: Which he does on the ſame Terms as at Cowes or Goſport, and ſuch Gentlemen as favour him with their Buſineſs, will not only find the quickeſt Diſpatch, but due Attention paid to their Intereſt: And as he has Room enough in his Ware-houſes for Shifting Rice, rainy Weather will be no Hinderance to the Diſpatch.

THOMAS COLEMAN,
UPHOLSTERER and PAPER-HANGER,
At Mr. Edward Weyman's, near the Old Church, in Church-ſtreet;
RETURNS thanks to thoſe friends that have already favoured him with their commands, and takes this method of acquainting the publick, that he continues carrying on all the above branches on the moſt reaſonable terms. Drapery and plain beds, Italian, Venetian and feſtoon window curtains, French elbow, eaſy and mahogany chairs, ſofas, Spring and Venetian window blinds, with all other articles in the mahogany buſineſs, in the neateſt and moſt expeditious manner. Hair and wool matraſſes, ſcreens covered, and tents and marques made, one of which he has now to diſpoſe of, made of the beſt raven's duck, compleat, and may be ſeen, by applying as above.

REBECCA WEYMAN,
ACQUAINTS her friends and cuſtomers, that ſhe continues the Upholſtery Buſineſs with Mr. COLEMAN, and hopes the neatneſs of her former work, will recommend her to the continuance of future favours.

CHRISTOPHER FECHTMAN,
STAY and MANTUA-MAKER from LONDON;
BEGS leave to inform the publick, that he is removed from Broad-ſtreet to Union-ſtreet, into a houſe of Captain Buckle's, near Mr. Banbury's, where he intends to follow his buſineſs in all its different branches; and doubts not but from his care and knowledge of the buſineſs to give entire ſatisfaction to thoſe who favour him with their work; he will likewiſe work at a lower rate than any heretofore, having a freſh ſtock of goods lately arrived for that purpoſe, and ſome experienced hands, who underſtand their buſineſs to the utmoſt dexterity. He hereby returns thanks to thoſe ladies who have been pleaſed to employ him, and hopes for a continuance of their favours. Said Fechtman undertakes to make ſtays and negligees, gowns and ſlips, without trying, for any lady in the country.

Juſt imported in the Sloop Succeſs, Samuel M'Calpin, Maſter, from Rhode-Iſland, and to be SOLD at a Store on the Market-Wharf;
A QUANTITY of Cheeſe, Potatoes, Onions, Apples, Cyder, &c. Alſo a Moſes built Boat, of ſeventeen Feet. Likewiſe eight HORSES, now to be ſeen at the Stables of Mr. Joſeph Turpin, at the Beef-Market.

TO BE SOLD, by public outcry, at Mr. Thomas Nightingale's, near Charles-Town, on Friday the Twenty ſecond day of January 1768, if a fair day, if not, on the next fair day;
ONE HUNDRED and four valuable NEGROES: Moſt of them born in this province, among whom are ſhip-carpenters, houſe-carpenters, ſhoe-makers, valuable boatmen, two good women cooks, ſempſtreſſes, young negroes uſed to the management of horſes, handy girls, twelve pair of as valuable ſawyers as any in the province.

ALSO,
A PLANTATION on Sewee, of about one thouſand acres, ſtocked with fine timber for ſawing, and has a landing on a good creek, to which any coaſting veſſel can go.

Likewiſe, a tract of LAND on Santee, purchaſed of Francis Kinloch, Eſq. The whole belonging to the eſtate of John Mayrant, Eſq; deceaſed.

Credit will be given to the 1ſt of May, 1768, paying intereſt, with approved ſecurity. The property not to be altered till the conditions are complied with.

ROBERT WELLS, Vendue-maſter.

All perſons to whom ſaid eſtate is indebted, are deſired to give in accounts of their reſpective demands, to
ELIAS HORRY,
WILLIAM WOODDROP, } Executors.

N. B. All perſons indebted to the ſaid eſtate, for any thing bought at vendue, on the 1ſt and 2d of October laſt, are deſired to comply with the terms of ſale, on or before the 10th of January, or they will be ſued without diſtinction.

RUTLEDGE & LESSESNE,
HAVE juſt imported in the Beaufain, Captain Curling, from London, a compleat aſſortment of European and Eaſt-India GOODS, proper for the preſent ſeaſon, among which are,
FASHIONABLE Broad cloths with ſuitable trimmings, ſtuffs for womens gowns, mens, womens, boys and girls worſted hoſe, mens ſuperfine white ſilk ditto, ladies riding hats with feathers; a few very handſome laylock and white grounded brocades, one rich white watered tabby, crow coloured mautuas (free from ſpots) one laylock coloured dacape, with many more very faſhionable ſilks, Engliſh and India chints, ſome elegant India chints counterpanes; compleat ſets of table and tea china, almonds, currants, and raiſins, with moſt other articles generally imported, will be ſold, on very reaſonable terms, at their ſtore in Broad-ſtreet.

Beſt double Philadelphia beer, rum, wine, ſugar, ſalt and bar-iron, to be ſold as above.

ALL perſons indebted to the eſtate of Dr. WILLIAM PILLANS, deceaſed, are deſired to make payment on or before the firſt day of January 1768, there being an abſolute neceſſity of ſettling all the affairs of the ſaid eſtate by that time.
ISAAC HAYNE,
JOHN SIMPSON,
ROBERT MACKENZIE, jun. } Executors.

The perſon who borrowed of Dr. PILLANS the ſecond volume of *Van Swieten* in latin, is requeſted to return it to JOHN SIMPSON.

FOUND by a Negro, a carved Silver Shoe Buckle. The Owner may have it, on paying for this Advertiſement, giving a ſmall Reward to the Negro, and applying to the Printer.

TO BE LET,
TWO genteel furniſhed ROOMS. Enquire of the Printer.

JOHNSTON & SIMPSON,
HAVE imported in the ſhip Magdalen, *from* Dunbar, *and the* Avon, *from* Leith, *and the* Pearl, *from* Glaſgow, *the following articles,*
LARGE Scotch COALS at £.6 per ton, genuine clam in bottles, barley in bags of 25 and 50 weight, a few kitts pickled ſalmon, oznabrugs of a ſuperior quality to what is generally imported, ſail duck from No. 1 to 8, cordage different kinds, Bell's ale, Cunningham's ale, Kippin's pig tail tobacco, ditto ſnuff in bottles, a quantity of choice handkerchiefs, men and boys ſaddles, with ſundry other articles from Scotland: Which, with a great aſſortment of European and Eaſt-India goods, lately imported in the ſhip Friendſhip, Capt. Samuel Ball, jun. from London, will be ſold reaſonable at their ſtore on the bay.

Juſt imported in the Brig Philadelphia Packet, Captain Harriſon, from Philadelphia,
SUPERFINE Flour in whole and half Barrels; Hayne beſt double Beer, in ditto, to be ſold, by
SHEED & WHITE.

HENRY REEVES, gives this notice to all perſons who are any ways indebted to him for goods bought at the ſtore at Ponpon, either in the name of Reeves, Cochran and Poole, Reeves, Wiſe and Poole, or Henry Reeves and Co. to make payment by the firſt day of January next, to Meſſrs. Sheed & White, in whoſe hands the bonds, notes and book of accounts are lodged; all accounts unſettled by that day, will be put into the hands of an attorney to be ſued for immediately. And all perſons any ways indebted to the above mentioned co-partnerſhips at their ſtore in Charles-Town, are deſired to make immediate payment to the ſubſcriber, as he is under an abſolute neceſſity of ſettling his affairs.
HENRY REEVES,
N. B. Rice at market price will be taken in payment.

THE Subſcribers give this publick notice to all perſons indebted to Reeves, Cochran & Poole, Reeves, Wiſe & Poole, or Henry Reeves and Co. at their ſtore in Charles-Town, that they have an aſſignment of thoſe as well as the Ponpon books; they therefore requeſt immediate payment be made to them, as no other perſon can give a legal diſcharge.
SHEED & WHITE.

RUN-away the 26th of October, a negro boy named BOB, formerly the property of Dr. *Martin*, but ſince of *Thomas Gordon*, deceaſed; he is ſuppoſed to be harbour'd by *Ottneal Beale*, Eſq' negro ROBIN, or by a wench named SUE belonging to *James Haberſham*, Eſq; in *Georgia*. All perſons are forbid harbouring the ſaid run away; and whoever delivers him to the ſubſcriber in Charles-Town, ſhall have *Twenty Pounds* currency reward.
June 30, 1767. MARY GORDON.

A BLACK Gelding ſeven Years old, about 13 Hands and an Half high, branded on the mounting Buttock like a Fiſh Hook, and on the off Shoulder with a Flower de Luce. The Owner muſt apply and prove his Property before
SAMUEL PORCHER.

TO BE SOLD,
IN Small tracts, or the whole quantity together, ten thouſand acres of land, lying on the north ſide of Lynch's creek, within ten miles of Pedee river, good for corn, indico and rice. Any perſon or perſons inclinable to purchaſe, may treat with the ſubſcriber in Charles-Town who hath the plot and grant, or with Paul Trapier, Eſq in George-Town, who is empowered to diſpoſe of the ſame
JOHN COGDELL.

N. B. He alſo begs leave to acquaint his country friends and others, that he hath taken a very convenient houſe in Berresford's alley, near to where Mr. Daniel Cannon formerly lived, and intends to take in lodgers. Whoever pleaſes to favour him with their cuſtom, may depend upon being well uſed.

JUST IMPORTED in the Beaufain, Captain Curling,
A QUANTITY of very neat fowling pieces, ſhot and bullets of ſeveral ſizes, a few bundles faggot ſteel, and two very neat hogſkin hunting ſaddles, with plated ſtirrups and bits, which will be ſold at a very low advance for caſh at the ſubſcriber's ſtore in Broad-ſtreet, next door to Meſſrs. Wilſon, Coram, & Co. by CHARLES LITTLEWOOD.

Alſo a conſignment of ſaws, broad-hoes and ſpades, from the manufacturers, to be ſold cheap for caſh.

Charles-Town, December 12, 1767.
STOLEN out of the ſchooner Nancy, between the hours of ſeven and ten at night, at Mr. Dandridge's wharf, two boxes, containing three white ſhirts, two of them pieced on the upper part of the ſleeve, three checked ditto, a coat and breeches of a grey colour, three white jackets, three blue and white ſtriped ditto, eight pair of thread ſtockings marked JW, the regiſter of the ſaid ſchooner, belonging to Mr. Edward Wilkinſon, thirteen ſtone buttons, ſix poliſhed ſteel, and a canoe of 13 feet long, near four feet wide, ſhe had a new piece put in her ſtern. Any perſon or perſons that will apprehend the thief or thieves, ſhall have Ten Pounds, if a white perſon, and Five Pounds if a black on conviction.
JARVIS WILLIAMS.

N. B. In a ſmall trunk there was near TWENTY POUNDS in ſilver, copper and paper, Aikin's Epitome with my name in it, and a book of accounts of freights.

☞ A reward of SIX POUNDS will be paid for the regiſter of ſaid ſchooner, and the accounts of freight of the ſchooners Hannah and Nancy; and a proportionable reward for the canoe.

For COWES and HOLLAND,
HAMBURGH, BREMEN, or STETEN,
The Ship JAMES,
JOHN TRENHAM, MASTER.
(A fine ſtrong veſſel)

WILL carry about 1[illegible] barrels of rice, and now ready take in.
For freight apply to
BRAILSFORD & CHAPMAN.